ABSTRACT

In a turning drive apparatus (10) for turning a movable portion (3) of a model (1) by transmitting power from a drive source to the movable portion (3) through a gear train (11), a pair of gears (16, 17) included in the gear train (11) are coupled concentrically with each other through a common slip plate (18). A friction transmitting portion (30) is arranged by combining at least any one (17) of the gears with the slip plate (18) so that it makes a slip motion to the slip plate (18) in a circumferential direction.